

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Thomas SCHMIDT  
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For: Connection Piece for a Fuel Pump

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 9, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.